

## REMARKS

Claims 25-52 and 64-66 are canceled. Remaining claims 1-24 and 53-63 are pending in the application.

### 5 Restriction Requirement

In the present Office Action, the claims have been restricted as follows:

- Group I: claims 1-24 and 53-63;
- Group II: claims 25-41;
- Group III: claims 42, 43, and 64-66;
- 10 Group IV: claims 44-51;
- Group V: claim 52.

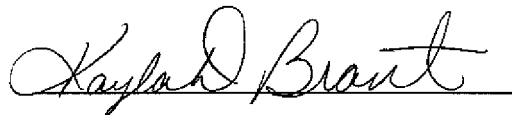
### Conclusion

Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, to prosecute the claims of group I –  
15 claims 1-24 and 53-63. Accordingly, claims 25-52 and 64-66 have been canceled, and claims 1-24 and 53-63 are pending in the application for examination.

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